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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4618).) | | Docket Number (Optional) 61032(70904) | |
| Application Number 10/804,328-Conf. #7032 | | Filed March 18, 2004 | |
| For OPTICAL INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, RECORDING AND READOUT METHODS USING THE SAME, OPTICAL INFORMATION RECORDING DEVICE, AND OPTICAL INFORMATION READOUT DEVICE | | | |
| Art Unit 1774 | | Examiner E. E. Mulvaney | |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. | | | |
| The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1590 | \$795 \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2160 | \$1080 \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | |
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| I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number <u>53,624</u> | | | |
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| _____ Signature | | _____ Date | |
| _____ Jonathan M. Sparks, Ph.D. Typed or printed name | | _____ (617) 439-4444 Telephone Number | |
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| Effective on 12/01/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2007 | | Complete if Known Application Number: Patent#: 7,179,515 Filing Date: Issued: February 20, 2007 First Named Inventor: Nobuyuki Takamori Examiner Name: E. E. Mulvaney Art Unit: 1774 Attorney Docket No: 61032(70904) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 | | | |
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 120.00 | | | |

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| Application Type | FILING FEES | | SEARCH FEES | | EXAMINATION FEES | | Fees Paid (\$) |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

| Fee Description | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
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| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) | 50 | 25 |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 360 | 180 |

Total Claims: 30 Extra Claims: 30 Fee (\$): 30 Fee Paid (\$): 30
 HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims: 10 Extra Claims: 10 Fee (\$): 10 Fee Paid (\$): 10
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification: \$130 fee (no small entity discount)
 Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1231 Extension for response within first month 120.00

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